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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98, applicants respectfully request that the documents listed below and on the accompanying PTO 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record in the above-referenced application. Copies of the cited documents are submitted herewith.

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,654,293 of Francois et al., "Topical Oil-In-Water Emulsion Compositions Containing Ketokonazole and an Acetonide Glucocorticosteroid," issued August 5, 1997.

2. International Patent Publication No. WO92/00057 of Pierard et al., "Method of

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Treating Alopecia," published Jan. 2, 1992.

3. Hungarian Patent Document No. HU221319 of Francois et al., published Sept. 30, 2002.

4. Hungarian Patent Document No. HU212051 of Pierard et al., published Jan. 29, 1996.

Hungarian Patent Document Nos. HU22319 (Ref. #3) and HU212051 (Ref. #4) were cited by the Examiner in the Hungarian application corresponding to the present application.

These references were cited as category A in a Search Report dated November 3, 2004. Therefore, applicants submit that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the present information disclosure statement.

Submitted herewith are U.S. Patent No. 5654293 (Ref. #1), which is the English language equivalent to foreign language reference, Hungarian Patent Application No. HU22319 (Ref. #3) and International Patent Publication No. WO92/00057 (Ref. #2), which is the English language equivalent to foreign language reference, Hungarian Patent Application No. HU212051 (Ref. #4).

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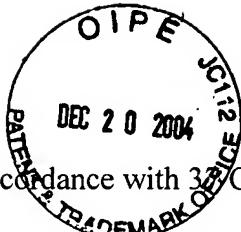
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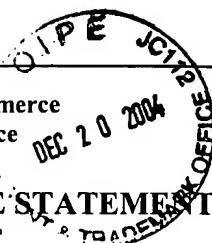
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